And Colored Comic Section

Unsettled and probably rain today. Monday cloudy; moderate to brisk shifting winds.

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DEMOCRATIC MEAT ENJOYED BY DINERS AT GRIDIRON FEAST Suffers Serious

President Wilson and Members of His Cabinet Are Served as Roast.

NO ONE IS BLISTERED; VICTIMS ENJOY REPAST | Vatican Guards Doubled Following

Gridiron Cooks Show Impartiality by Making Savory Dish of the New Administration.

KING OF WRECKERS FOILED ness and his fever rose to 103 de-

Into Port, But Officeseekers Are Her Only Cargo and She Is Ordered Scuttled.

It was democratic meat sizzling over the coals at the Gridiron Club's dinner publicans as well. Of course, a flitch taken from the rafters of the smokehouse and served up, too. The Gridiron adepts showed themselves as handy with basting spoon and turn spit for the new ad- to the Pope many more

hurt and most of them are willing to submit themselves to subsequent grilling under like circumstances.

Beautiful Floral Decorations.

The banquet hall of the New Willard never looked lovelier than last night. The floral decorations, always conspicuously artistic and abundant at Gridiroh feasts.

notable list of guests. The Marine Band lished only in cases of great gravity. played them into the dining room after the doors were thrown open to the sound

the guests felicitously and the evening

T. R. After a Plum.

Memories of "T. R.," like Banquo's host, will not down, though this simile dees not intimate a skeleton at the feast, added to the merriment. Roosevelt, made up as a newsboy, was discovered dickering with two fruit venders who had esdame, the conventional Miss Democracy, in hoopskirt and poke bonnet, who purveyed tariff plums, conservation lemons and nomination peaches.

A stout person with plutocratic side picted with white mutton-chops and a so great that he and the sisters of the what might happen to them here in the louble chin is a secret of the car- Pope lunched together in high good hutoonists-presided over the republican mor, wishing to celebrate the recovery of stand. So that there could be no mis- the pontiff. They spent the greater part take, however, this figure was conspicu- of the afternoon together, but were to make common cause against those ously tagged as "The Interests." Roose- awakened from their dream by the sad who have? They talk about vested velt was trying to "hang him up" for a news of the Pope's relapse. nomination peach until he had sold his

"G'wan," snorted the stuffy person. You never paid me for the plum you

racy departed, joyfully jingling her coin. An excited person expostulated with arguing. The Interests" over his neglect of business, pointing out that the rival stand had sold out. Lighting a big fat cigar with a broad gold band, "The Interests" puffed away nonchalantly and grunted: That's all right; I own both stands.'

Initiates Interview Guests.

club. Robert H. Patchin of the New and 900 children of the Treviso church be. All that a man hath will be given in all the days of their sojourn in Rome for this life, and he is not wise who, had constantly prayed God "To preserve having plenty, risks it all to get a for initiation and the committee of the committee of the abunch and the committee of the committee of the Treviso church be. All that a man hath will be given having plenty, risks it all to get a little more. charge proceeded to examine the candi- the Catholic world." dates in public as to their qualifications as newspaper men. They were asked in turn several preliminary questions. "Is the democratic party mentioned any

snuffed up the wind like dragons; their fied with his shadow. He added: eyes did fail, because there was no "Are the progressives mentioned?"

their judges. They have sown the wind, and they shall reap the whirlwind.' party in the Bible?" 'Not in the old-fashioned Bible."

"Where then?" "In the Revised Version prepared by Dr. Roosevelt the Psalmist says: 'The and slew the fattest of them." tioned as to their success.

wrath of the people came upon them, The candidates were then given assignments to "interview" several of the notable guests present and were ques-"Have you interviewed the Secretary of War?" "Yes, sir."

"What does he say?" "He denies it. "Denies what?"

'That's what I asked him,' 'What did he answer?'

"He said it didn't make any difference what; it was the immemorial custom of the War Department to deny every-

Sixteen to One, Says Bryan. "Have you interviewed Secretary Bryan?"

"Yes, sir; I asked him what he thought about Wilson." 'What did he answer?"

"He inquired which Wilson I meant." "I hope you told him you meant Presi-I did. I asked him whether he thought President Wilson would succeed.' What did he say to that?"

"He wanted to know whether I (Continued on Seventh Page.)

CONDITION OF POPE | MARSHALL WARNS CAUSES GRAVE FEAR

Shows Great Weakness and Fever Rises to 103.

HAS PERSISTENT COUGH AND PAINS IN CHEST

Disobedience of Physicians' Orders for Quiet.

ROME, April 12 .- Pope Pius has suffered a serious relapse. His condition tonight was such as to arouse the gravest fear. He showed great weakgrees. The second relapse followed a disregard for the physicians' instruc- the National Democratic Club here. Mr. Good Ship T. Jefferson Platform Gets tions. It was due to overexhaustion Marshall, Gov. Sulzer and William F. from several audiences the Pope gave McCoombs were guests of honor. The today and to exposure to a change of atmospheric temperature. At midnight he fell into a doze. His

efforts at coughing had weakened him

Sisters and Niece Notified. Only the sisters and a niece were notified of the relapse. They drove hur-

riedly to the Vatican. During the evening the condition of his holiness became steadily worse. The Vatican in this city of New York. I have conguards were doubled to insure that no cluded, therefore, to beard the lion in one shall enter. Although every one ardently wishes

of his condition l makes prevalent the fear that the end for, but what we can make has come But nobody was blistered, at that; the of his pontificate is approaching. Aclurid flames that glow under the gridsick room, although the temperature despite this theory of life, Carl Marx iron are but "property" fires, after all, had diminished slightly, the Pope was and hunger and a longing for hapand leave no scars. After a gasp or two much exhausted on account of a perof surprise the victims find they are not sistent cough and difficult expectorstion, which caused considerable pain in the chest.

Bedroom Kept Semi-Dark.

The bedroom is kept in semi-dark- or shall not be.' ness and absolute silence, Prof. Marchiafava having again insisted, in a visit paid late tonight, that everything even making an effort to exercise his of conditions in twenty-seven northseemed to envelop and infold the com- mind. This time Cardinal Merry del ern states during the recent presidenpany. A profusion of magnificent Amer- Val added his authority to support tial campaign. Swollen fortunes and ican beauty roses banked the central well and bloomed at every table, while spring flowers shed their hagrance every their first bulletin this evening regarding the Pope's condition, which indicate the accumulation of great wealth their first bulletin this evening regarding the Pope's condition, which indicate the accumulation of great wealth the physicians' orders. cates the gravity of the case, in view President Wilson and his cabinet, diplo- of the fact that recently Prof. Marchiamats, congressmen and distinguished men fava, in explaining why bulletins had from this and other towns comprised a not been issued, said they were pub-

The Bulletin.

"April 7 the Pope fell HI with a relapse of influenza, with symptoms of tracheal bronchitis. The fever subsided three days ago, but returned today with an aggravation of the catarrhal symptoms in the thorax. There are no caused the deepest apprehension. Pope this morning received Bishop Long-belief that socialism alone will open up hin, saying that he could not allow "the and guarantee this equality. If I were

bishop of my diocese to leave Rome with- the possessor of a vast and growing forout seeing him. The Pope was most af- tune and had made up my mind that the fable and gave to the bishop a pectoral government should continue to help me tablished their stands in the hall. One cross with white stones set in gold as make it grow, or if I were a socialist, I would from down upon the educational Bishop Longhin left the room radiant. system of America. He thought that the Pope appeared emaciated and prostrated, but that he was cheerful and hopeful. He gathered the impression that a man with such mental whiskers-why the "plute" is always de- vitality would live long. His delight was looking men ever stopped to consider

Fever Registered. 103.

The pontiff suffered from a high fever which registered 103 degrees. It gradual-Customers who approached the republy decreased to 99, but rose again, and lican stand were shrilly warned away at midnight was reported to be 102. The The customers patronized the ing he did not need assistance and would interest would any relative have in the democratic stand, which was quickly de- call if necessary. They were obliged to obey and retired to an adjoining room hands at the hour of dissolution? The oily lint over the floors made the in order to spare him the exertion of right to inherit and the right to devise

nearly 1,000 pilgrims from the diocese of privileges given by the state to its citthe papal secretary of state. Bishop | "Let backward-looking and inward-Longhin, in presenting the pilgrims, said looking men read the returns of the they were grieved that their most ardent last election. Let them put on masks. desire and the chief object of their pil- go down into the East Side and hear grimage—to see the holy father—was im- what people are saying about them. Val to tell the Pope that seventy priests dream that what has been, forever will for initiation and the committee in glory of the church and the affection of

in the books of the apostles it is said that much of it has been obtained been started only from the inside. "Yes; in the Book of Psalms: 'The wild that the followers of St. Peter, when un- through special privilege, that it did asses did stand in high places; they able to reach his person, must be satis-"Allow me for the moment to consider myself the shadow of the Pope and legislatures, through the sale of im- worth were thrown into excitement, fear-"Yes, in the Book of Hosea: They are tell you in his name how tenderly he pure foodstuffs, through wrecking rail-

all hot as an oven, and have devoured loves you and your families and wishes you all spiritual good." He urged the pilgrims fervently to pray Is there any mention of the republican for the recovery of the Pope in order that e may return to work for the good of

Only Miracle Could Save Him.

Although the general public was shocked to hear that the Pope had suffered a new relapse this afternoon it cannot be when I say that a change has come said that this turn for the worse caused much surprise, as his holliness was allowed too soon to do things which would have tried the constitution of a much

last month, relapsed Monday with the tented with that which thou hast gotten. gravest symptoms. It was then said that Yield a little that thou mayst save ing to be dragged out by their guards. A only a miracle could save him. The miracle evidently occurred, as, two days later, the fever stopped, all traces of the condition of albuminuria which usually accompanies influenza vanished and other dangerous symptoms disappeared.

Needed Constant Rest. Notwithstanding this, Prof. Marchia-

deceived. He constantly repeated to the Vatican attendants that the holy father socialistic system which will destroy both Frank McDowell was in the spir could only live by following the strict- the opportunity and the desire of the room of the twine plant when he felt est regimen, taking extreme care and man to exercise in the fullest capacity the heat of the flames. He jumped from having constant rest. Instead of adhering to the physician's advice the pontiff was allowed

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SPECIAL PRIVILEGE

Relapse. Vice President Says American People Will No Longer **Brook Oppression.**

> DECLARES PATERNALISM OR SOCIALISM POSSIBLE

Tells National Democratic Club Members That Men of Vast Wealth Must Take Notice.

NEW YORK, April 12.-Special privilege and the concentration of wealth and their relation to "a spirit of unrest" that unless reckoned with might jeopardize the institutions of government furnished the theme discussed by Vice President Marshall in a speech tonight at a banquet of dinner commemorated the 170th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson. Norman E. Mack, Charles F. Murphy, Representative Herman A. Metz and considerably and respiration was dif- former Judge Morgan J. O'Brien were among those who attended.

> The Vice President was greeted with applause when he rose to speak. "Current opinion holds, justly or unjustly," he said, "that the welfare of the people of this country depends not a little upon the conduct of certain men his den' in the hope that he may hear.

"Present advantage shuts our eyes to the permanency of our institutions. piness are abroad in the land. They are sitting as unknown guests at every frugal meal. They are perturbing the waking hours and coloring the dreams of millions of Americans who, after all, have the right to say what shall

Warning Result of Observation.

The Vice President declared his warning was the result of observation discontent. "Along with general prosperity has

come a marvelous piling up of colossal private fortunes. Notwithstanding charges against me that I have freely assaulted he possessors of these fortunes, I know In my own heart that such a view of my public utterances is a distaken one any made toy, have not been directed at the possessors of the ernment which contribute, directly or indirectly, to the accumulation of fortunes

ng up of colossal fortunes. supknowledge, has made large bodies of people restive. "The desire of the people is for greater equality of opportunity and enjoyment. More and more, men are coming to the

Possession of Rights Assumed.

"Have backward-looking and inwardrights and in their talks assume they have both an inherent and constitutional right to pass their property down from generation to generation until some reckless descendant shall have dissipated it. sembly in the state of New York should confirmed by some of the prison offirepeal the statute of descents for cers. real and personal property, and the statute with reference to the making of wills, on their death how much vested property which fell from their nerveless to walls and floors. Half an inch of are neither inherent nor constitutional, About the time the relapse occurred but, upon the contrary, they are simply

ossible. He begged Cardinal Merry del Let them not close their eyes and

Special Privilege Blamed.

The cardinal answered, recalling that n the books of the apostles it is said that much of the books of the apostles it is said that much of the belief burning twine plant. These could have "The belief that there is an unequal not come by labor, skill, industry, baror trade, but through watered stocks and bonds, through corners on commodities, through corruption of for mutiny, and Lansing and Leavenroads, through all the devices known to man whereby the law is not abrogated, but chloroformed.' Mr. Marshall assailed the protective Their efforts were responsible for savtariff as one of the principal causes ing the building occupied by woman the church and the people. The cardinal for concentration of wealth, and deended by imparting to all the apostolic clared that the protection of commodities had resulted "in free trade in con-

"Let those who started," he said, "and are keeping up this theory of especial privilege which finds its root, its sap and vigor in prohibitive duties, believe me across the spirit of the republic. Be not deceived. Our justice is ceasing to be perpendicular and is beginning to be horizontal. Men are refusing longer to look up that favors may be handed down to them and are beginning to look around to see how mutual benefits may come to genarian Pope, after having been ill all them. Wake up, my brother; be con-

Urges Support for Wilson.

"The backward-looking and inwardooking men may be able temporarily to check the onward movement of the for- Riley, twenty-two years old, serving fifward-looking men, but if they do it will be an unwise interference and may refava, the Pope's chief physician, was not sult either in a paternalistic system of government which can only endure upon back by the flames. His face was bases of ignorance and serfdom or in a scorched. his natural and acquired endowments." Mr. Marshall called on his hearers to rescued two fellow convicts, John Smith support President Wilson in his policies and Frank Dixon. All three were slightly necessary to transfer the spectacle from that the individualistic democracy of Thomas Jefferson may not be destroyed." Frederick Appleton, a life prisoner, saw fectiveness was but by the change.

FEATURES OF THE SPRING DINNER OF THE GRIDIRON CLUB. the fire start. He had just shut off the fire start. He had just shut on the motor in the twine plant when he saw a spark leap down to the oily rubbish on the floor. Both Appleton and

From Fire in Kansas

Penitentiary.

Battle Against Removal From Cells.

Precautions Are Taken Against

Mutiny.

ler of Leavenworth. His opinion was

The fire started when the armature

of a motor in the twine plant suddenly

building burn like tinder. The burned

buildings are a total loss, as the state

carries no insurance on its structures.

Started From Inside.

tory. I inspected other buildings, in-

we saw flames bursting from the second-

Prepared for Mutiny.

Prison officers made every preparation

ing an outbreak; but the convicts pre-

served the best of order, hundreds of

them assisting in fighting the flames.

prisoners and the criminally insane. He

women were taken out and the insane

convicts transferred to the cell house.

The buinting was only slightly damaged.

was in the insane ward, which is 150 feet

from the twine plant. The flames seem-

ed to throw panic into every inmate

There were tifty insane convicts. Excited

by the sight of the flames, the prisoners

screamed, and with clenched hands beat

The maniacs set up such a commotion

that Warden Codding was forced to move

removal was accomplished with the great-

number of patients fought their rescuers.

Seven Slightly Burned.

Six prisoners and one guard were

burned slightly during the fire. Frank

teen years for burglary, was carrying a

hose into the twine plant when driven

est difficulty, many of the prisoners hav-

on the iron bars of their rooms.

The scene of the greatest excitement

MANIACS BEAT BARS

duties about the prison yard when the fire started, were not locked up, but A dezen prisoners in the baller rooms of the power house stayed at their tasks Million Loss Results the fire fighters. The prison's one andient fire engine was out of commission and the pressure pumps of the water sys

William Miller, another convict, were

Six hundred convicts who were at their

DEMOCRATIC

DRAMA

REPUBLICAN

FRUIT STAND

LIGHT HOUSE

SHE SEEKS HIGH POSITION

AND SCREAM IN FRIGHT Dr. Mary Walker Asks to Be **Appointed Commissioner** of Pensions.

Dr. Mary Walker has made application to Secretary Lane of the Department of the Interior for appointment LANSING, Kan., April 12.-Fire that as commissioner of pensions. Dr. the Kansas penitentiary today was government service. In addition to her spread by convicts who scattered war-time record as a surgeon, she burning papers in buildings not in the served a short time in the pension path of the flames, according to a office as a clerk. statement by Fire Chief Michael Bah-

She enlisted March 11, 1864, and was discharged June 12, 1865. She became famous very early in her career ed to a call, saved the child's life. It through the fact that she chose to was stated at the hospital last night that wear the regulation masculine attire she was out of danger and would rebecause she found skirts too hard to cover. navigate in upon the battlefield.

Given Special Pension.

appointed by surgeons in charge because of efficiency, and was finally employed regularly. She was appointed to a clerkship in the bureau of pensions May 1 1882, and served until July 13, 1883.

found that fires had started inside the

Urges Rich Women to Aid Uplift Work Before Great

Crowds.

RICHMOND, Va., April 12.-Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, addressed two audiences here tonight in connection with the Young Women's Christian Association's biennial con-College Girl," made a strong plea for in the great uplift work for womankind them to another part of the prison. This throughout the world.

fore the services began, because of the tremendous crowd which was eager to hear the President's daughter speak. She had turned on the gas with the intermedous crowd which was eager to tention of ending her life, because her mother had punished her. She did not Hundreds of persons, mostly women, who stood in the aisles were forced to move explained, and placed her mouth over the before the services could proceed. An jet while standing on the bed and became overflow meeting was held in a nearby hurch, where Miss Wilson spoke later. Miss Elizabeth Dodge of New York. who discussed the value of the association to the city girl, spoke with Miss Wilson at the two meetings. Nearly a thousand young women took part this afternoon in a pageant dea window, seized a ladder, returned and signed to show the various activities of the association. Heavy rains made it

park to a building, but none of its ef-

GHOSTS

Fourteen - Year - Old Corinne Hendrix Unconscious From Inhaling Gas.

PHYSICIAN'S QUICK WORK

Girl Offended Because of Mother's Reproof—Has Narrow Escape From Death.

Angered when her mother punished her lestroyed four large buildings and Walker places considerable weight in for cutting the heels from her shoes, caused a loss estimated at \$500,000 in her claim on the fact that she has seen | Corinne | Hendrix, fourteen - year - old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hendrix, Col. F. R. Shunk Is Ranking Of attempted suicide yesterday afternoon in her parents' home, 1104 K street northeast, by inhaling illuminating gas. The prompt use of the pulmotor by Dr Nally of Casualty Hospital, who respond-

> She was pensioned under the general statement, asked that she be allowed to river and in the drainage area of Lake law for a disease of the eyes at \$8.50 a have the heels mended, as they were Erie. Lieut. Col. Francis R. Shunk, at month. This was later increased to \$20 worn down on one side. Mrs. Hendrix Pittsburgh, is the ranking officer of the owners of the majority stock of which told her she could not have them re- commission. The other members are shall have declared their intention of be In 1861 she served as assistant surgeon paired yesterday afternoon. Corinne went Lieut. Col. Henry Jervey, at Cincinnati; in the Patent Office Hospital, and in 1862 to the upper floor of the house, remaining Maj. Charles S. Bromwell, at Cleveland; and 1863 served at the front, before she for a short time, and then was seen Maj. John C. Oakes, at Louisville; Maj. was regularly in the service, having been going downstars. In her hand she carried Frederick W. Alstaetter, at Wheeling. been cut off.

Reproved by Her Mother.

Mrs. Hendrix immediately told her main there. A short time later Mr. Hen-Mrs. Hendrix supposed Corinne was bouncing a rubber ball on the floor. Presently the parents were startled by an unusual cry for the mother. Running upstairs they found Corinne unconsciou on the bed, and gas was escapting from an open jet

Physician Acts Promptly.

Mr. Hendrix carried his daughter to a mission. Miss Wilson, taking for her sub- an effort to restore her to consciousness, ject "What the Association Means to the believing her death might result before she could be conveyed to the hospital. She women of means and education to assist was revived and subsequently was taken to the institution where the pulmotor was again used, and later the child was At St. Paul's Episcopal Church, where pronounced to be out of danger. Miss Wilson Arst spoke, the doors were After Corinne had regained consciousclosed by the police fifteen minutes beness she told a nurse and physician that

> feel the effects of the gas at once, she Sausage Ruling Sustained by Court.

cent of water.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.-Judge Dyer in

PLAN TO ALTER

Go Around Canal Company's Property.

ENGINEERS CONSIDERING SOLUTION OF PROBLEM

nel for Lower Part of the Stream.

Ohio Canal Company that the United States, by reason of a charter agreement roperty owned by the company in Rock 'reek valley may result in the federal government aeciding to alter the channel of Rock creek, in order that the parkway plans for that section of Washington nay be carried out with the least possible delay and friction.

This became known yesterday, informathe matter has been taken.

nel for Rock creek, beginning at the point where the Chesapeake and Ohio

pointed out, would eliminate the necessity quire for the purposes of the connecting parkway between Potomac, Zoological and Rock Creek parks much, if any, of the land owned by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company. In the event of a legal contest over the right of the government to acquire the ground by condemnation proceedings, it is pointed out, the change of the plan would make possible a much earlier consummation of the proposed im-

Position of Canal Company.

The canal company takes the position

officials of the Department of Justice whereby real property or any interest who have been placed in charge of the therein is hereafter let, leased or rented leave to account the land desired legal steps to acquire the land desired Consideration is being given to the suggestion that the channel of the creek be diverted, according to statements INSURES HER RECOVERY made yesterday, in the event that long drawn-out legal complications are threat made yesterday, in the event that longened as a result of the stand taken by the canal company.

BOARD TO PLAN FLOOD PREVENTION IS NAMED

ficer—Refugees Need Underclothes Most.

mother about 3 o'clock yesterday after- which will investigate and report upon noon, Corinne, according to the mother's flood conditions in the valley of the Ohio one of the shoes, the heel of which had and Maj. Louis H. Rand, at Cincinnati. The board will assemble at Cincinnati upon Col. Shunk's call. Flood conditions in the Ohio valley

still exist, according to a report from Maj. Normoyle. Practically all of Uniondaughter she could not go down town, as town, Ky., is under water, and 2,000 inhad been promised her, and further that habitants are receiving government aid. to any alien under the provisions of because she had damaged her shoe she would have to go to her room and rework at cleaning up the town when able. Mai. Rhoads, the President's military ject. drix arrived at the house. Soon afterward aid, who has been in charge at Dayton | The remainder of the bill defines the a noise was heard upstairs and Mr. and since the adoption of the relief measures procedure to be followed in bringing there, will transfer the work to local action in the name of the state of Calisanitary officers in about a week and fornia declaring property held in vioreturn to Washington.

Refugees Need Underclothing.

The American National Red Cross is in receipt of advices from the flooded district to the effect that while outergarments for men and women have been reason held to be unconstitutional, such received in sufficient quantities to meet back porch, where he attempted to re- the probable requirements of the towns vive her. Meanwhile, a telephone mes- and cities whose needs are known, there construed as grounds for confiscation or sage was sent to Casualty Hospital. Dr. is a great need for underclothing for men. escheat of any property held prior to vention, and at each place the people Nally responded with the ambulance. He women and children, especially for women the time the law goes into effect. who gathered to hear her completely filled saw the child was in a serious condition and children, and outfits for babies churches. Many were unable to gain ad- and immediately used the pulmotor in These should be shipped to Col. Edward T. Miller, quartermaster, Ohio National Guard, in age of relief supplies at Co-

A letter from the Red Cross agent at Dayton states that a hundred carpenters will be put to work tomorrow rebuilding homes that were destroyed and repairing those damaged. This serves the double purpose of giving work to the unemployed and at the same time restoring families to their homes. This and other work along similar lines will be started in the other flooded towns as rapidly as conditions will permit.

Asks \$300,000 Damages for Death. NEW YORK, April 12.-Mrs. Elizabeth C. Case of Rochester, N. Y., today

joined the small army of litigants suing the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company for damages arising from the sinking grass has attained normal growth. the federal district court here today re- of the steamer Titanic. Mrs. Case sued fused to enjoin the enforcement of the for \$300,000 damages for the death of recent ruling of Secretary of Agriculture her husband, who perished in the dis- retary of Agriculture has promised to do Houston that nothing may be branded as aster. She says that Mr. Case received a all possible to relieve conditions. The sausage that contains more than 2 per salary of \$20,000 a year as managing di- message says the forestry representative cent of cereals and more than 3 per rector of the Vacuum Oil Company, Ltd., is on the way here to confer forester of this state.

ADOPTS LAND BILL

FIVE CENTS.

to Take Place of All Others.

TREATY RIGHTS GUARDED. CORPORATIONS INCLUDED

Provides That Aliens (Meaning Japanese) May Not Hold Property More Than Year.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 12 .- The final draft of the proposed anti-alien land law that is to take the place of all the bills that have been introduced relating to the same subject was adopted by the senate late today on second reading, and will come up for final passage in the upper house of the legislature next Monday.

Senator Newton W. Thompson of Los Angeles, acting on behalf of the judiciary committee, prepared the measure in its present form. The principal provisions are as follows:

"Section 1. No alien shall acquire title to or own or hold real property within the state, or any interest therein, or take or acquire, or hold same by devise, descent, purchase or otherwise, except as in this act provided. "Section 2. Title to real property situated in this state may be acquir ed and held by allens, whether resident or non-resident, under the restrictions, terms and conditions herein set

May Hold Property One Year.

'(a) Any allen may hereafter acquir old channel, as at present, and the traffic by purchase, or otherwise (excepting by of the canal company would not be inter- devise or descent, which are hereinafted fered with. The new fork, constructed so provided for), any right, title or interest as to practically parallel the natural in or to any real property situated in this course of the creek, would be embraced state, and may hold same for the period of one year after the date of so acquir-The carrying out of this plan, it is ing such title, right or interest, but no longer. At the expiration of said period of one year all real property so held by such alien and all right, title and interest therein so held by such alien shall be subject to escheat to the state of Callfornia and proceedings for such purpose shall be taken as hereinafter provided." Subdivision (B) relates to property acquired by devise or descent, and pro vides that it may be held for a perio of one year after the date of final distribution, when it shall become subject to escheat of the state, as in sub-

division (A). Applies to Corporations.

Section three of the act prescribes

Virginia.

The question will be threshed out be leases, and reads as follows:
tween attorneys for the company and No contract, agreement or lease corporation of the class described in sec-

Penalty Provided.

Property may be conveyed to another alien or alien corporation, to be held for a period not exceeding one year. It is provided that 'if any such conveyance shall be made with the intent or for the purpose of evading the provisions of this edict, such conveyance shall render the property thereby conveyed subject to escheat to the state of California for the benefit of the state school fund." The property rights conveyed through citizenship are defined in section 6, a

"Nothing in this act shall apply to an real property acquired, owned or held by any alien who shall have declared his in United States according to law, or who shall become a citizen of the United States, or to any real property acquired owned or held by any corporation, the coming citizens of the United States ac cording to law, or who shall have become

Treaty Rights Protected.

An absolute guarantee of full treaty rights to every subject of a foreign power is contained in section seven. which reads as follows:

such alien shall be

lation of the act to be subject to As an additional safeguard to the constitutionality of the act the following "Section 11. If any section, sentence

clause or phrase of this act is for any decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the act."

CATTLE AND SHEEP MENACED.

Thousands of Head in California Threatened With Starvation

of head of cattle and sheep are threatened with starvation in the valleys of Central California, according to stock raisers, and the Secretary of Agriculture in Washington has directed a representative of the forestry service to investigate for the purpose of determining whether to grant an appeal that forest reserves be opened for grazing purposes. Lack of A message received today from Repwith the

ROCK CREEK BED

Proposal Is to Construct New Chan-

The contention of the Chesapeake and

tion given out from an authoritative source being to the effect that the feasibility of the scheme already has been considered by engineers of the local and federal governments. The plan, however, is in its infancy, as no definite action in May Construct New Channel.

canal empties into this stream. If this should be done the waters from the canal

that the United States cannot, in accord- the same limitations for corporations, Ince with decisions of the Supreme whether formed under the provisions Court of the United States, condemn its of the laws of California or of any land for public uses, inasmuch as it other state or country, "a majority of operates under a charter agreement be- the issued and outstanding capital tween the United States and the states stock of which shall be owned or held of Maryland, Pennsylvania and West by any alien or aliens."

for a longer period than three years shall be made to any alien or to any tion three of this act, and no renewal or extension of any such contract, lease or agreement shall be made extending sa

period of three years." Section 5 provides that an alien or an alien corporation "hereafter acquiring, owning or holding real property" in the state of California, in contravention to the expressed provisions of the act may convey the same at any time before the commencement of escheat proceed

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escheat. paragraph has been appended:

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